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NY-ESO-1/CAG-3 AND GENE ENCODING

SAME

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination of the U.S. National Application filed under 35 U.S.C.

§371, please enter the Amendment under Article 34 and amend the following claims without prejudice:

In the claims:

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(Amended) A cancer peptide, portion or derivative thereof according

to any one of claims [claim] 2-4 or 3 wherein the cancer peptide is immunologically

recognized by HLA restricted cytotoxic Tymphocytes.

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